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2026 PHILIPPINE ROBOTICS CUP

Attached is a letter from Creotec Philippines Inc. on the conduct of 2026 Philippine Robotics Cup at SM Nuvali, Santa Rosa-Tagaytay Road, Laguna, on December 10-11, 2026.

The participation of learners and teachers from public and private schools shall be purely voluntary and will not hamper instructional time in compliance with the provisions of *DepEd Order No. 009, s. 2026 titled Guidelines on the Implementation of the Three-Term School Calendar in Basic Education*, and *DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 titled Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith*.

The Schools Division Superintendents are given the discretion to act on this matter.

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2026 PHILIPPINE ROBOTICS CUP

Creotec Philippines Inc. will conduct the 2026 Philippine Robotics Cup at SM Nuvali, Santa Rosa-Tagaytay Road, Laguna, on December 10–11, 2026.

The Competition is a national event in robotics, programming, artificial intelligence, the Internet of Things, and drone technology. It aims to develop creativity, teamwork, and problem-solving skills while strengthening learners' science, technology, engineering, and mathematics competencies and introducing them to emerging technologies and career pathways.

The program will feature the following:

Type of Robotics Competition	Category
1. Mission-Based Robotics Competitions	• RoboVenture Aspiring Makers • RoboVenture Emerging Innovators • RoboVenture Navigation Auto • Line Tracing Competition
2. Robotics Sports Competitions	• RoboSoccer • Sumobot • Drone Soccer Competition • RoboVenture Navigation Manual
3. International Categories	• MakeX Starter • MakeX Explorer
4. Coding Competitions	• Coding Bee

Winners and coaches in the MakeX Starter and MakeX Explorer categories will receive a fully sponsored opportunity to represent the Philippines at the MakeX Robotics World Championship in China.

Learners from public and private schools nationwide are invited to participate and further develop their skills in robotics, coding, and other future-ready technologies.

All interested teams may register through the [initial registration link](#) from October 1 to November 30, 2026, and receive the official competition mechanics, registration guidelines, and other competition details.

Participation of learners and teachers from public and private schools shall be purely voluntary and will not hamper instructional time in compliance with the provisions of DepEd Order (DO) No. 009, s. 2026, titled Guidelines on the Implementation of the Three-Term School Calendar in Basic Education, and DO 9, s. 2005, titled Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith, and the policy on off-campus activities stated in DO 66, s. 2017.

This is also subject to the no-collection policy as stated in Section 3 of Republic Act No. 5546, also known as An Act Prohibiting the Sale of Tickets and/or the Collection of Contributions for Whatever Project or Purpose from Students and Teachers of Public and Private Schools, Colleges and Universities (Ganzon Law), issued in DO 19, s. 2008, and reiterated in DepEd Memorandum No. 041, s. 2024.

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October 8, 2026

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Dear Dr. Uytico:

Greetings from Creotec Philippines, Inc.!

We are pleased to invite your region to take part in the 2026 Philippine Robotics Cup (PRC), which will be held on **December 10–11, 2026** at SM Nuvali Santa Rosa, Laguna, as its tentative venue.

The competition has been announced through **DepEd Advisory No. 194, s. 2026**, dated October 2, 2026. The advisory informs DepEd officials, personnel, and the concerned public about the event and invites learners from public and private schools nationwide to participate. A copy is attached for your reference.

The Philippine Robotics Cup is a national competition in robotics, programming, artificial intelligence, the Internet of Things, and drone technology. It aims to develop learners' creativity, teamwork, and problem-solving skills, strengthen their STEM competencies, and introduce them to emerging technologies and career pathways. This year's competition categories are:

- Mission-Based Robotics: RoboVenture Aspiring Makers, RoboVenture Emerging Innovators, RoboVenture Navigation Auto, and Line Tracing
- Robotics Sports: RoboSoccer, Sumobot, Drone Soccer, and RoboVenture Navigation Manual
- International Categories: MakeX Starter and MakeX Explorer
- Coding Competition: Coding Bee

Winners and coaches in the MakeX Starter and MakeX Explorer categories will receive a fully sponsored opportunity to represent the Philippines at the MakeX Robotics World Championship in China.

In this regard, we respectfully request your office's assistance in sharing this information with the Schools Division Offices in your region, so that interested schools may consider sending learner teams and coaches.

Interested teams may register through the initial registration link at <https://forms.gle/bBZnwUnza795JQKd6>.

Please note that registration for all categories will now close on November 15, 2026, earlier than the November 30 date stated in the advisory. Registered teams will receive the official competition mechanics, registration guidelines, and other competition details.

As stated in the advisory:

- Participation of learners and teachers is purely voluntary.
- Participation will not hamper instructional time, in line with DO 009, s. 2026, DO 9, s. 2005, and the policy on off-campus activities under DO 66, s. 2017.

- The event is subject to the no-collection policy under Republic Act No. 5546 (Ganzon Law), as issued in DO 19, s. 2008 and reiterated in DepEd Memorandum No. 041, s. 2024.

We also welcome teachers and supervisors from your region who wish to serve as volunteer referees or marshals on the PRC Technical Committee. Volunteers receive training, a certificate, and hands-on experience in running school, district, and division competitions. Interested personnel may sign up at bit.ly/46TxhEM.

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We look forward to your region's participation in giving more Filipino learners the chance to engage in robotics, innovation, and future-ready technologies.

Thank you, and more power!

Sincerely,



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